

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION:

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 15, line 11 and ending on page 15, line 13, with the following amended paragraph:

(22) A method for the production of an alcohol or an alcoholic beverage, characterized in that, the transformant mentioned in the above (18) or (19) is used; for instance, a method for the production of an alcohol or an alcoholic beverage comprising subjecting the transformant mentioned in the above (18) or (19) to fermentation in a sugar-containing medium selected from the group consisting of wort, grape juice, rice juice and glucose syrup;

In compliance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.823(a), please insert the attached paper copy of the Sequence Listing after the last page of the specification (page 93) and before the claims for the above-identified application (page 94).